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LENS ALMOST WITHIN GRASP OF BRITISH; VILLAGE OF AVION, TWO MILES SOUTH, IS TAKEN

Official Report Indicates English Gained Their Whole Objective.

REPEL PICKED GERMANS

French Throw Back Teutons in Heavy Attack Near Hill 304 and Avocourt Wood After Especially Severe Shelling; German Galas Small.

By Associated Press.
LONDON, June 28.—British troops last night in an offensive gained their whole objective, says a telegram from Colonel T. W. Griffith, in charge of the Pittsburgh district. Colonel Griffith's instructions are:

"Accept men for the signal corps with the following qualifications:

Cable, telegraph and radio operators;

Inside and outside wiremen, electricians, machinists, photographers, and men who are familiar with the construction and maintenance of telephone systems."

Signal Corps Also Wants Linemen, Electricians, Photographers and Machinists.

Telegraph operators, electricians, machinists, photographers and telephone men are among those who are desired as a new recruits at the present time, according to orders received by Corporal H. E. Fellows, of the Uniontown recruiting depot, from Colonel T. W. Griffith, in charge of the Pittsburgh district. Colonel Griffith's instructions are:

"Accept men for the signal corps immediately; Dispensaries to be established in all important parts.

According to a statement issued by Henry P. Davison, chairman of the war council of the Red Cross, local chapters are entitled to retain one-fourth of their own subscriptions in the recently closed \$100,000,000 mercy fund campaign. In some circles of Connellsville objection to this has been expressed on the ground that there would be no use to which the local chapter could put this money.

One-fourth of the \$88,000 raised here would be \$9,500.

It is explained by officers of the local chapter, however, that the use of that money here is really another way of applying it to the great relief work incident to the war. Each chapter will equal all or part of a complete army base hospital and the material for this alone costs in the neighborhood of \$10,000, without including the cost of making it up.

At least \$10,000 will be needed to supply the materials for fitting out a full supply hospital. The plan at first was to supply only half a base hospital from the Connellsville chapter, as it was feared that money to finance the work would be rather hard to secure.

Now that a fourth of the campaign fund has been made available, however, it has been decided to work for an entire base hospital. The cost averages from \$18 to \$20 a bed, and there are 500 beds.

The amount secured from the Red Cross campagners will not be large enough to entirely finance the work, since some must be taken out to pay the expenses of the campaign. Enough of the chapter's membership fee money remains in Connellsville, however, to fill all the fund.

The chapter must completely equip a base hospital. To begin with, it must buy 500 cot beds, then make sheets for each one, furnish pillows and pillow covers, and blankets, etc.

In addition, pajamas, wash rags, towels and the countless other things necessary in a hospital. The labor of making these things is donated by the women of the chapter, and the \$10,000 is needed for material alone.

Mr. Davison's statement follows:

"The returns up to 9 o'clock tonight indicate that during the past week at least \$114,000,000 have been subscribed to the Red Cross war fund.

This assumes that stockholders in companies which have declared special dividends amounting to some \$20,000,000 will turn their dividends over to the Red Cross.

"Local chapters of the Red Cross are entitled to retain for their own work 25 per cent of the total amount collected, but it is very evident that the National Red Cross will have a generous fund with which to begin its tremendous tasks.

"The result which has been achieved is indeed gratifying. Never before in the history of the world was such a fund for the relief of human suffering raised by voluntary subscription in so brief a period.

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JARRETT OFFERS 19 GUARD COMPANIES

PITTSBURG, June 29.—James K. Barnett, former colonel of the Tent regiment, Pennsylvania National Guard, today telegraphed Governor Branumbaugh, offering a regiment of 16 companies from Western Pennsylvania towns as an additional guard unit for the state.

The towns from which the regiment is recruited include Uniontown, Canonsburg, Waynesburg and Washington.

The telegram was sent on receipt of information that the War Department had ordered the state executives to accept all guard units organized before June 30.

UNIONTOWN MAN IS A HOSPITAL FORCES RECRUIT

Frank E. Beatty of Uniontown, has been accepted by Major R. S. McKee as a recruit for the Tenth regiment hospital corps. Mr. Beatty is employed at the Uniontown Wright-Metzler store.

Twenty-five of the 33 members of the corps were present at last night's drill.

OFFICERS ELECTED

Knights of Pythias Lodge Chooses Leaders for Next Six Months.

Officers for the coming six months were chosen last night at a meeting of the Fayette Lodge, No. 232, Knights of Pythias, in Old Fellow's hall. They were as follows:

J. D. Whipple, chancellor commander; H. D. Hallibut, vice chancellor; R. W. Detolt, prelate; J. P. Butler, master of works; S. P. Hildebrand, keeper of records and seals; H. C. Humbert, master of finance; J. A. Lurie, master of exchequer; S. F. Wagner, master of arms; R. McCormick, inner guard; M. A. Campbell, outer guard; W. A. Biskirk, chosen trustee for 18 months.

The officers will be installed on July 12.

MILLER TRANSFERRED.

Will Be Made Supervisor of Fuel Loading at Flora, Ill.

N. E. Miller, clerk to the superintendent at the Baltimore & Ohio offices here, has been transferred to Flora, Ill., where he will be supervisor of fuel loading. The change will take effect July 1.

Miller has been clerk in the offices of the railroad here for five years.

James Riley, a clerk in the superintendent's office, will be made clerk to the superintendent. Riley has been with the Baltimore & Ohio several years, being employed at one time in the treasurer's office.

Benefit for Navy League.

A strawberry and ice cream festival will be held tonight in the Cochran Banquet Hall at Dawson for the benefit of the Dawson section of the Comforts branch of the Navy League.

Irreconcilable.

VARIED SUBJECTS DISCUSSED DURING C. E. CONVENTION

"Real Patriotism" is Topic Discussed by Rev. Wright of Braddock.

AN INTERESTING LECTURE

"Finding Mates and Forming Nests" Discussed by Dr. Andrew M. Shea of McKeesport; Crowded House Greets Play Given for the Moose.

Special to The Courier.
MOUNT PLEASANT, June 29.—More delegates in the Upworthian League convention arrived yesterday. The Thursday morning meeting opened with "Morning Watch," in charge of Sam H. Vaughan, the district president. At 9 o'clock the devotional services, in charge of Theodore Hockey of Scottdale, were held. Greetings were given by N. M. Crusan, the local president. Rev. F. A. Chase, of Swissvale, gave the response. Dr. J. J. Hill spoke on "Has Our District Made Good?" Rev. J. Vernon Wright of Braddock, talked on "Real Patriotism;" R. E. Dinkendorf gave the challenge of the Pittsburgh conference; Miss Cora Fleming of West Newton had charge of the spiritual department; Ralph Walker of Scottdale, had charge of the "Missions and World Evangelism" discussion. At 11:45 the social service was held in charge of C. W. Hall of Confluence.

In the afternoon music service was conducted by Rev. W. Rufus Hotsell of McKeesport. The "Upworthian Reading" was given by F. W. Pennington. Mr. Johnson of McKeesport also gave a reading; Samuel Starkey of Pittsburgh, talked on the Ridgeview Institute. Mrs. C. D. Mather of Meyersdale had charge of "Recreation and Culture." Mrs. J. E. Williams of Dunbar, talked on "The Junior League."

In the evening Hon. T. C. Jones of McKeesport made an excellent address and Dr. Andrew M. Shea of McKeesport gave a lecture on "Finding Mates and Forming Nests." Music was furnished by the Mission String Quartet.

People Turned Away.
The local Moose presented the Big Moose Players in "All Jimmies' Fault," at the Grand Opera house last evening for the benefit of the Moose convention in Pittsburgh and for Mooseheart home. The house was so crowded that people had to be turned away from the house before the curtain went up. The play was a comedy in three acts.

Confluence.

CONFLUENCE, June 29.—Rev. and Mrs. V. W. Wallace of Cordele, Texas, arrived here yesterday for a several weeks' visit with Mrs. Wallace's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Beers.

Mrs. Anna Flanigan, Beaufort, South, and Mabel Oliver left yesterday for Mount Pleasant where they will act as delegates to the Upworth League convention from the local chapter of the Methodist Episcopal church.

Mrs. J. W. Wilson has returned to her home at Elm Grove after a visit of several days with her brothers, Will and John Burdworth of the West Side.

Mrs. M. E. Mitchell, who has been ill for several weeks, is improving. M. M. Rorison was a business visitor to Okopyle yesterday.

Mrs. Thomas Smith has returned to her home in Masontown after a visit of several days here with her daughter, Mrs. Charles Shaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hackney of Homestead have gone to Uniontown to visit Mrs. Hackney's parents. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Coffman, after visiting Mr. Hackney's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. McDonald here a few days.

Mrs. Albert Hyatt and children were in Meyersdale yesterday.

W. H. Zufall of Murndale was here yesterday on business.

T. A. Frank has returned here after a several days' visit with friends in Pittsburgh.

J. W. Clark of McKeesport was a business visitor here yesterday.

J. L. Reiter of Johnson Chapel was in town yesterday on business.

Dunbar.

DUNBAR, June 29.—John Bowden of Johnstown is visiting his mother, Mrs. William Boyton.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Corado are on the sick list.

Mrs. Anna Furt was shopping in Connellsville Tuesday.

Mrs. George Wagner is the guest of relatives in Connellsville.

Rev. T. M. Gladwin visited relatives on the West Side, Connellsville, yesterday.

Mrs. Lorraine McQuiggan spent yesterday in Connellsville.

William Jennings of Connellsville was transacting business here Wednesday.

Albert Butte and Evelyn Kelly were Sunday visitors in Connellsville.

Mrs. J. A. Hamilton visited Sunday in Connellsville.

Mr. J. R. Jones and son spent a week in Uniontown Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. DeNatale and brother,

JACOB J. SWANK PRAISES TANLAC MASTER REMEDY

Retired Business Man Feels It His Duty to Make Facts Known.

Jacob J. Swank, retired business man of 625 Napoleon St., Johnstown, Pa., said recently:

"I am a conservative man, and have especially been skeptical regarding endorsements of medicines of any character, although I have used many of them in attempts to obtain relief from aches of the head and throat and stomach trouble."

"I believe I had used almost everything imaginable before I took Tanlac. At night, when I slept, which was poorly, I evidently swallowed accumulations of mucus, as I invariably awakened in the morning choked and nauseated. That is the way I judge that my stomach became affected."

"My hearing became impaired and the itching in my ears became almost unbearable, and there were roaring noises also. I had a most unpleasant taste in my mouth and scarcely any appetite."

"My condition was so distressing that I had almost determined to visit a dry, salt climate to gain relief. I watched the introduction of Tanlac carefully and I finally decided, it so many men and women of evidently sound sense used the medicine and said they were benefited, it would be worth my while to try it, although I really had no faith in it at the time."

"I was surprised, however, I began to improve rapidly under the Tanlac treatment. My whole system is now right, the accumulations in my nose and throat disappeared, my braying has improved, I eat better, my sleep is restful and I feel better every way. I now consider myself physically able to throw off any other symptoms."

"I am a well man and I propose to tell others of the good Tanlac has done me. I feel it is my duty to do so."

Tanlac, the Master Medicine that masters when everything else fails, is sold here by the Connellsville Drug Co., where it can now be had.

Tanlac can also be secured in Dunbar at D. C. Eason's Drug Store.—Adv.

William, of Pittsburg, visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Corado.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Gilmore attended the funeral of their cousin at Fairchance Saturday.

Mrs. Josephine Patterson is visiting her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Patterson of Bryson Hill.

James Jacobs of McKeesport was the guest of his brother, William Jacobs over Sunday.

Mrs. Ada Seaman and Mrs. Margaret Carr spent Sunday in Hopwood.

V. N. Bozeman and C. E. Williams motored to Greensburg Sunday.

KYNE MUST FINISH
NOVEL BEFORE HE
CAN JOIN THE ARMY

Noted Writer Is in Queer Dilemma of Duties; Has Seen Service Before.

Special to The Courier.

OAKLAND, Calif., June 29.—Peter B. Kyne, the noted short story writer, is in a dilemma of duties. Patriotic urges call him to the colors on one hand, but on the other is a literary obligation that holds him back. He is engaged on a novel which his publishers are wiring for daily.

Just as soon as Kyne gets the novel off his typewriter, he is going to enlist. He hopes to be able to enter the next reserve officers' training camp at the San Francisco Presidio in August.

When Kyne quits the pen for the sword, he will be the guest of honor at a banquet to be given by the Oakland Chamber of Commerce and will be made an honorary member of that organization. Plans are now under way to make it a gala military event in this city.

Oakland claims Kyne as its own because of his residence in one of the suburbs, and also because much of the material for his sea stories is drawn from Oakland's waterfront. In this respect he follows somewhat in the steps of the late Jack London, who discovered some of his most noted characters along Oakland's docks in the days of the whalers.

Kyne will be no "rookie" when he dons khaki, for he soldiered in the Philippines in the "fighting Fourteenth" while he was still in his beardless teens.

"I admit I lied about my age to get into the regular army," Kyne says; "our wild horses couldn't have kept me away from that chase after Aguinaldo. I feel a good deal the same way about the Kaiser."

Notice.
The Blasters will meet at 7:30 P. M. Monday, July 2, at the Moose hall.—Adv.—23-ct.

French Coal Production.
Coal production in France in 1916 is estimated at 22,000,000 tons.

It Will Pay You
To read our advertising columns.

Wanted Ash Shovelers

20 cts. per wagon. Men now clearing \$5.00 per day.
West Penn Power Plant,
Connellsville, Pa.



ONE DOLLAR MERCHANDISE WINNERS

Mrs. G. T. Artis	264 E. Fairview
Mrs. R. E. Grinnin	402 E. Crawford
Mrs. Smith Rhondes	Dunbar, Pa.
Mrs. Alice Edwards	Layton, Pa.
C. W. Robinson	West Main

Millinery

You'll find the new mid-summer styles chic and becoming. They are now on display. Priced \$8.95 to \$7.50.

All other Millinery being closed out at special low prices.

Minerva Yarn, \$1.00 a Box

We can sell you Minerva Yarn in the standard Army and Navy Gray, at \$1.00 a box.

Scotch Madras Curtains at Special Prices.

Two and a half yard Madras Curtains in plain and colored kinds. Priced like this:

\$1.50 qualities at	\$1.25
\$2.00 qualities at	\$1.50
\$2.50 qualities at	\$1.75
\$3.00 qualities at	\$2.10
\$3.50 qualities at	\$2.50
\$4.00 qualities at	\$3.00
\$4.50 qualities at	\$3.50
\$5.00 qualities at	\$4.00
\$5.50 qualities at	\$4.50
\$6.00 qualities at	\$5.00

8¢ to 12 Years Voile Dresses in wide stripe, high waist effect—large collar, pockets, short sleeves, sizes 14 and 16; value \$8.00. Special at \$8.50.

6 to 12 Years Voile Dresses in pink and white, blue and white, gold and white. Large collar, high waist line, belt and pockets. Special at \$8.50.

Blue Silk Taffeta Dress with corded skirt.

Stirred high waist line, large collar of white

blue with lace edging, long sleeves. Value

\$16.50; special at \$12.75.

THE E. DUNN STORE The HOME of QUALITY and SERVICE

129 to 133 N PITTSBURG St. CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

Corset Covers—Choice of any 25c or 39c Corset Cover in our stock, lace and embroidery trim, at 19c.

\$1.25 Muslin Gowns	\$1.30
\$1.50 Muslin Petticoats	\$1.33
\$1.25 Muslin Gowns	\$1.30
\$1.50 Muslin Gowns	\$1.33
\$1.25 Envelope Chemise, at	\$1.10

New Silk Hosiery

Beautiful Silk Hose in white and all wanted colors, plain silk with lace top, some clocked with black silk embroidery, while others have fancy effects and Richelieu stripes. Pure silk boot and all silk at \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.75.

All Girls' and Boys' Spring Coats 1/3 Off

Ages 2 to 6 and 8 to 11 years; in styles and colors most wanted by mothers of particular taste.

\$3.75 Coats now at	\$2.50
\$4.50 Coats now at	\$3.00
\$4.15 Coats now at	\$3.00
\$6.50 Coats now at	\$4.34
\$7.35 Coats now at	\$5.30
\$9.00 Coats now at	\$6.00
\$10.00 Coats now at	\$6.67
\$12.00 Coats now at	\$8.00

Turkish Towels

It isn't possible for any store to offer a better towel at the price—size 17 1/2x35 inches; hemmed ends, 10c.

24x47 in. Turkish Towels, at 30c.
28x42 in. Turkish Towels at 27c.

Unbleached Union Toweling, a yard, 18 1/2c.

Unbleached Sheetings, at 8 1/2c,
9c and 10 1/2c.

18x36 inch Turkish Towels, 17c.

Half Bleached Cotton Toweling,
10c.

Half Bleached Cotton Toweling,
per yard, 5c.

"Advertiser" Muslin, 7d, 12 1/2c.

Good Cotton Sheets, Sixx20, 95c.

Girls' Summer Dresses—New Styles Just in from New York. Ages 6 to 16 Years.

Gingham Dresses in brown with plaid trimmings, sport suit effect. Pockets, short sleeves, sizes 14 and 16; value \$8.00. Special at \$8.50.

ACID CAR TAKES FIRE; LIVERYMAN AND HELPER HURT

Thomas Hayes and Frank Burgess Burned While Unloading Explosives.

CHAUTAUQUA IS ASSURED

Pledges Practically Make Certain the Return of Entertainment Course Next Year; Storm Drives Some From Tent Last Night; Other News.

Special to the Courier.
SCOTTSDALE, June 29.—Yesterday morning about 11:30 o'clock as Thomas Hayes, the liveryman, was unloading a car of acid for the Atlas Cap factory of the DuPont Powder Company, a bottle of acid broke and ignited, setting the car on fire. The yard engine was run in and the car was taken away from the other cars.

The flaming acid burned Mr. Hayes from the knees down, and also badly burned a negro, Frank Burgess, who worked for Hayes. They were taken to the office of Dr. Peter on Broadway and their injuries dressed.

Tomline Services.

Preparatory services and communion will be exhibited at the Trinity Reformed church on next Sunday morning.

To Entertain W. C. T. U.—Miss Margaret Kritsman on next Tuesday evening will entertain the ladies of the W. C. T. U. at her home with a patriotic meeting.

Funeral of Henry Dillon.
The funeral of Henry Dillon was held from his late home yesterday in charge of Rev. G. W. Terbush. Interment followed in the Alverton cemetery.

Another Chautauqua Assured.

Last night just about time for the Chautauqua to open there was a very hard windstorm. Some of the people left the tent while others stayed. There have been several storms during the stay of the Chautauqua here but so far there have been no accidents. Yesterday in the afternoon there was a concert by the Christine Gies company and a lecture by Dr. E. T. Hagerman. In the evening the Christine Gies company gave another concert and Ralph Bligham, the humorist, completed the evening's program. The sale of tickets has reached the place where Scotland is almost assured of the Chautauqua again next year. This evening the children's pageant will be given.

Camp at Roaring Run.

The Campfire girls of Alverton of which the following are members, Misses Ida Hickernell, Elizabeth Hill, Edith Karp, Pauline Beisler, Margaret Cornelius, Florence and Leda Rodman, Ruth Brothers, Freda Bunting, Elmira Sherrick, and Catherine Silver, have returned home from Hutch Yane, the Presbyterian summer home at Roaring Run. The Parker circle of the Westminster Guild of the Presbyterian church stays on there and will be joined on Tuesday by 56 of the younger girls who go to the summer camp under the direction and care of Frank Parker. The camp is being enjoyed very much this season since many improvements have been made and each day something is planned that is pleasing to the campers.

Notes.
Miss Edna Hayes is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Berg at Pennsville.

Miss Kathleen Attwood is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Hodges at Collars.

Mrs. W. F. Stauffer and daughter, Meredith, have returned from a visit to New York.

Misses Bertha Faith, Sara Sherrick, Margaret Karp and Florence Hurst have gone to Grove City to summer school.

Mrs. James Beatty of Dickerson Run is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Anna Moran.

GO AFTER THAT BILIOUSNESS AND SICK HEADACHE

One dose of a simple vegetable laxative is all that is needed. Don't take stomach salts or powerful purgative salts. If you do you will become a chronic sufferer from Constipation and Liver Troubles.

Everyone needs to take a good laxative occasionally, and failure to do this is the reason why there are so many cases of Constipation, Indigestion, Liver, kidney and bowel troubles.

Simply go to your druggist and ask for a small box of Lebanon Herb Tablets. Take one tonight, you will feel one hundred per cent better by the morning. Lebanon Herbs are the best and that is why Lebanon Herb Tablets, being purely vegetable, are so effective in correcting and toning up the Stomach, aiding digestion, and making the fibers active, banishing Liver Troubles.

Every druggist in America is authorized to refund the purchase price to any dissatisfied user, so try them tonight at our expense. A. A. Clarke can supply you—Act.

Vanderbilt.

VANDERBILT, June 29.—Mrs. Jack Young and baby, Grace, and Mary Martin of Donora are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Martin.

Mrs. Grant Leighty and daughter of Dunbar township spent Wednesday with friends there.

John McLaughlin and son who have been visiting the former's brother, R. P. McLaughlin, for several weeks, are visiting relatives in Uniontown.

Mrs. Harry B. Reed and Miss Addie Edwards spent Wednesday at the former's home in Uniontown.

Mrs. Alva Harshman and Miss Mandie Harshman spent Wednesday with Mrs. Joseph Harshman of Uniontown.

Clyde F. Randolph was a caller in Uniontown recently.

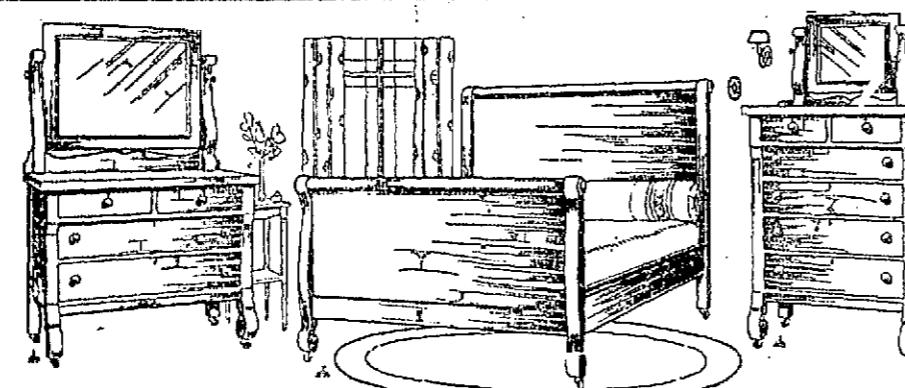
Mrs. Elizabeth Roselle and daughter

Furnishing New Homes Is Aaron's Specialty

This is an appeal to Newlyweds and young couples who are planning matrimony. All we ask you to do is to come to Aaron's and look over the large collection of most appropriate suggestions which we offer for your New Home. You will not be URGED to buy at Aaron's—there's no necessity for that. The values we offer—the courteous, painstaking attention given every Aaron customer—the helpful service rendered—and the wide range of choice articles offered will readily convince you that at Aaron's you can most easily and economically furnish your New Home.

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This Mahogany or Genuine Quarter-Sawed Oak Colonial Dresser

29.50

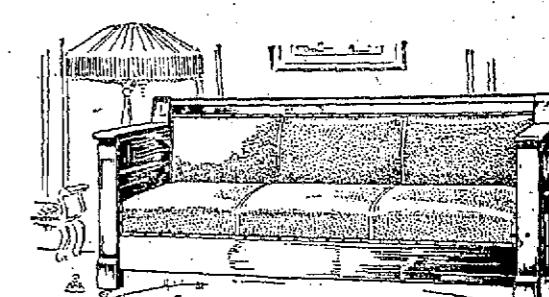
Full Size Bed 24.50 Chiffonier 27.50

From the beautiful design of Colonial Days was evolved this fine furniture. The theme is a massive hutch which makes slightly and wearing qualities a surly. The Tripliate Mirror Dressing Table can be had to match the other three pieces.



LEONARD
CLEANABLE
ONE PIECE—PORCELAIN LINED
REFRIGERATORS
See Our Family Size White
Enamel Refrigerator 9.75
Special

27.50



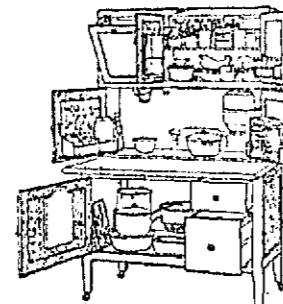
Aaron's Parlor Bed
Davenport, Special at

27.50

Made of solid Oak, beautifully upholstered in Morocco-line Leather with separate Mattress and Springs for bed section, and every quality which makes it possible for us to fully guarantee the Davenport in every way.

The Hoosier Kitchen Cabinet

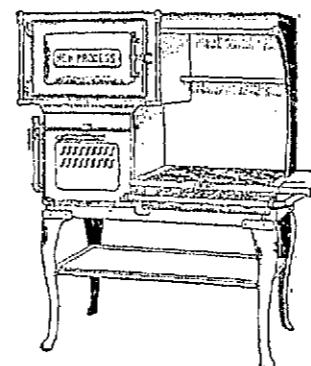
Is the Lowest Priced Perfectly Equipped Cabinet in the World



A Hoosier lasts a lifetime. It takes only a few months to pay for it. You are spending twice the amount of time on kitchen work that you would with a Hoosier. It is a marvelous convenience. Has places for 400 articles ALL WITHIN ARM'S REACH. It is an automatic servant with 40 labor-saving inventions—EACH LIKE A HUMAN HELPING HAND. Seventeen of these features cannot be found in all others combined.

See the Hoosier Wonder at

20.85
Only



Famous New Process
Gas Range

Guaranteed to pay for itself in two years in gas it saves.

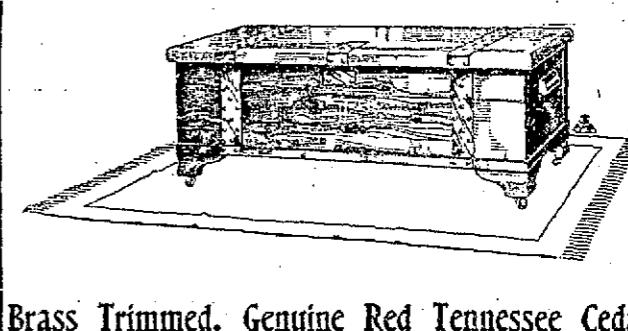
THE VERY BEST GAS RANGE on the market.

We are exclusive agents for the New Process Gas Range, the most attractive range in the world.



Colonial Buffet at 22.50
Golden Oak at 22.50

Those who wish to add to or freshen their Colonial dining room suite, will find in this a splendid value. It is built of golden oak, and is polished to a mirror-like brilliancy.



Brass Trimmed, Genuine Red Tennessee Cedar
Chests; 46 inches long; 23 inches wide 14.75
and 22 inches high, Special

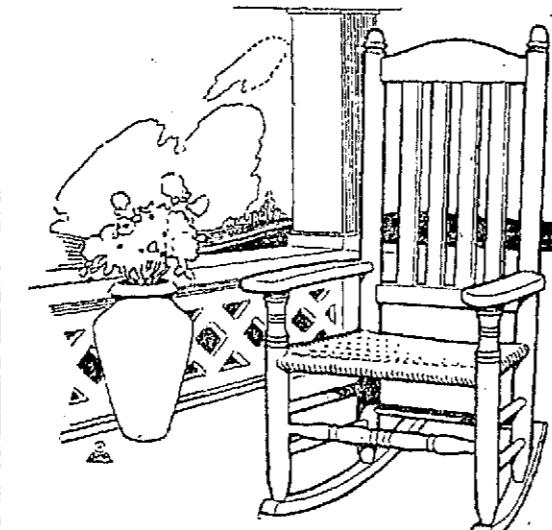
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Here you get a "LAST FOREVER VALUE" big as the Chest itself. These chests are made of selected red cedar of the highest grade, each piece of the best cabinet-making. Lid will close tight and will never warp, and will not come off its hinges. This Chest will be a constant reminder of the stove that never does things by halves, and which sells home furnishings to last years, and not months.

Other large size Cedar Chests as low as \$9.50.

See the Hoosier Wonder at

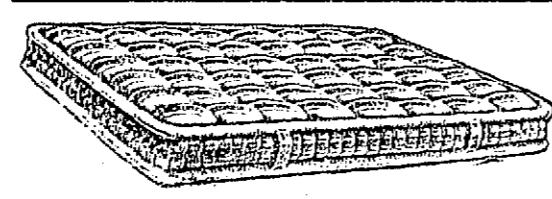
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Only



This Double Rattan
Seat Porch Rocker at

2.27

A dependable Rocker at a low price. The frame of this rocker is of selected hard wood in a waterproof finish. It is large and comfortable; an accompaniment piece!



This Felt Mattress
Special Value at

11.75

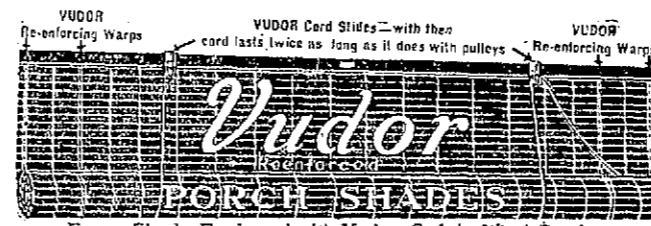
Invest in such a Mattress as this once—it will last a lifetime. Built up of long fibre cotton, and covered with striped oil-ticking; tufted to prevent packing and lumping, this mattress will find rapid sale at this price. Hand-holds make it easily turned.



Solid Oak Dining Table at 13.50

Greatest assortment of Sulkies and Carriages ranging in price from 1.75 to 50.00.

This mission table is in a rather unusual design. It embodies a unique beauty with rugged strength. Built of solid oak, in a rich, dark golden finish.



VUDOR
Re-enforcing Wires
VUDOR Card Slides—With these
cards last twice as long as does with pulleys
VUDOR
Re-enforcing Wires

Vudor
PORCH SHADES

Every Shade Equipped with Vudor Safety Wind Device



Dickerson Run.

DICKERSON RUN, June 27.—Mr. and Mrs. John Bulek have returned to their home at Monarch after spending a few days here visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Schutte.

Miss Millie Lint of Thompson was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lint, yesterday at Lookout Farm.

John Bogar of Franklin township was a business caller here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Snyder and daughter, Miss Alberta, were shopping some time.

In Pittsburg yesterday.

C. M. Barfoot of Richmond, Va., is spending this week here visiting relatives and friends. Mr. Barfoot was a former P. & L. E. dispatcher at this place, and is now filling a like position on the Soo Board Line.

Ernest Cogan of Dawson made a trip to Connellsville yesterday to consult Dr. Bailey. Mr. Cogan is a man

chiropractor at the round house here and while replacing a side rod on an engine he received a piece of steel in his

right eye. He will be off duty for

Joseph Ruff of Vanderbitt, was a Pittsburg business caller yesterday.

Mrs. A. C. Hagerman returned to her home at Beaver Falls yesterday afternoon after spending a day here with her sister, Mrs. J. F. Black.

A. W. Nicholson of Mill Run, was a business caller here yesterday.

J. K. Evans was a Pittsburg business caller yesterday.

Emerson Arnold of Mill Run, was transacting business here yesterday.

J. S. Rowan of Connellsville, was a business caller here Tuesday.

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FRIDAY EVENING, JUNE 29, 1917.

COAL PRICE CONTROL.

The ready acquiescence on part of the coal operators of the United States in a plan to stimulate production, regulate distribution of product and maintain fair price basis is another evidence of the willingness upon the part of industry to do its full part in the war. It is another instance of the captains of industry volunteering to take their place in the ranks of that great army which will render as patriotic service in support of the government as the men who will follow the flag at the front.

That the agreement to adopt measures of control over this basic industry was entered into voluntarily for the common good is another of the significant signs of the times. The recognition is becoming more universal that the complete mobilization of the industries of brains and of effort is just as essential as a mobilization of our fighting forces and our money in order to win the war. The arrangement which has been effected will vastly greater stability, eliminate burden on competition and insure a more equitably distributed and more constant supply of fuel and at lower cost, to the industrial and domestic consumers of coal. If these ends are achieved, as it is reasonably certain, they will be one of the most perplexing problems of war preparation will be solved, and our hands ready to conduct our part in the conflict will be immeasurably advanced and facilitated.

In the halls of Congress and in the public press there has lately been a vast amount of interpretive violent and demagogic discussion by persons very ill informed as to the fuel situation. The fuel producers of the country have been assigned to the same category as the food grabbers, and no opportunity has been neglected which would tend to hold them up to public contempt and scorn, and no limit has been placed upon extravagance of statement as to their responsibility for present conditions in the fuel industry.

While there have doubtless been many instances in which some unscrupulous brokers in coal have made extortionate demands upon consumers and have profited immediately from the high prices which have put paid to the coal producers themselves, have not benefited to the extent popularly supposed. There have been many and unusual elements, some as in other lines entering into the determination of fuel prices, all of which have had the effect of raising the price. It is still higher and higher. The increased cost of production, arising from advances in wages to the highest level ever known in the industry, cost of materials and supplies, heavy taxation, more expensive safety requirements and irregular plant operation due to the scarcity of cars are some of the influences which have operated to maintain prices. The extreme limits have not been due to these causes, however, but to the constantly increasing demand for fuel and the intense competition and hostility among buyers who have wholly bid against each other in efforts to secure a supply.

The actions of the coal producers in making an immediate reduction of \$1 to \$1.50 per ton on board cars at the mine in the price of coal when the tendency of the market under the stimulus of a still greater demand is toward still higher prices proved that they are cooperating with the government as patriotically as are other industries and agencies. Their further willingness to make still further reductions in case the official investigation into the costs of mining coal deduces facts warranting such reductions is an evidence of a fairness that is highly commendable. It means can be devised whereby an equally effective control will be exercised over the prices which brokers in coal make to consumers thereabout.

It is little cause for complaint from consumers provided the railroads meantime work out the transportation problem to the extent that the movement of fuel will be in greater volume and regularity. If such control over brokers is not provided, it will be grossly unfair to the producers who have so willingly consented to the curtailment of profits in an industry which has long been without them and the public, will derive little benefit from the concessions of the coal producers.

WHO WILL BE EXEMPT.

The definite announcement from Washington of the classes of men who will be exempt from military service under the selective draft will settle this question. In the draft regulation, which have been approved by President Wilson, four classes of men will be entitled to exemption as follows:

Men physically unfit
Men employed in essential posts
in war industries.

Those with certain religious beliefs.

Men with wives or other relatives
wholly dependent on them for support.

The local exemption boards will have the power to reject the physical, mental and the properly accredited members of certain religious denomina-

tions whose tenets forbid participation in war. The appellate in each district will alone have the power to excuse men from military service because of their employment in certain occupations having to do with the work of war preparation. This body will also hear and consider the claims of those seeking exemption on the score of having dependents. Those not coming within the aforesaid may reasonably expect to be among those chosen to take upon themselves the duties of soldiers.

The cost of the war of the whole world ought to be 100,000,000,000. The price of coal is now 100,000,000,000. The British Army is paying 100,000,000,000 for coal in Belgium.

Spuds are on the slide.

The leavening power of patriotism is working wonders. The Chicago investors are not moving to the West to start new towns, are running to the East to farm for breeding farms.

Four days more energy in 15 days. Bill G. Hart, Bradbury's joint author.

Next to the arrival of Torchman in France the adoption in of the Embargo with the heartening event of the week.

Today is not over 100 days old, but it was one of the war's turning points in the war. The Chicago investors are not moving to the West to start new towns, are running to the East to farm for breeding farms.

The friends of H. H. Williams in hope he will be spared to make a more far-reaching tour than I still allow a vacation.

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A NEW REVOLUTION IN RUSSIA IS PLAN OF THE SOCIALISTS

Who Are Meeting in the Pro-German Conference in Stockholm.

NO ANNEXATION IS CRY,

Although it is designed to establish a broad belt of German power and influence to extend across the whole of Europe and into part of Asia.

WASHINGTON, June 28.—We need not wait for the socialist International Socialists' conference to convene in Stockholm today to know what it actually will be. It is nothing more nor less than a peace move by the German foreign office, which has repeatedly shown that it is ready to use infinite steps for its purposes.

It is only necessary to refer back to the positions of the German Socialists (majority and minority alike) on the question of peace as it has been fixed or more than two years. The German and Austrian socialists asserted their views for the bureau at Stockholm on May 20th. It can all be summed up in one word: Europe is to return to the territorial status quo which existed before the war.

There can't be the slightest question as to the future decision of any Stockholm conference. The various socialist parties under direct or indirect German influence or control have sent delegations to Stockholm. These delegations are in substantial accord with the Germans and Austrians. Even where differences exist, such differences are usually on minor points. Where major differences occur there is absolutely no united sentiment, so that it is unthinkable that there will be any opposition whatever to the Germans.

All the delegations have agreed that there must be an armistice if not an immediate peace. The newspaper organ of the Council of Labor Deputies calls for immediate negotiations, and what is left of the Socialist party in America is pledged to immediate peace, "regardless of the strategic situation," and also is pledged to a separate and immediate peace for the United States by the notorious St. Louis convention resolution. Sacharoff, the Bulgarian leader, was charmingly frank in a St. Louis interview, in which he advocated immediate peace, adding, "If the war is to go long enough the tide will turn against Germany." Tivoli of Holland, who made the original arrangements for the conference, after a public consultation with Zimmerman, the elder's Minister of Foreign Affairs, is even more brutally frank. His position is, "A separate peace may possibly be the only peace that would beget general peace."

On the matter of territorial changes the position of the conference is equally unanimous. None of the parties, far represented favors the return of Alsace-Lorraine to France. The Germans do not even mention the question, for they do not acknowledge the any such question exists. On the and other points of foreign policy the German majority and minority united. Pottsgrove's Workmen's Council takes a definite position against the restoration of Alsace-Lorraine, in the phrase that, "historic wrongs are not to be righted." Most positive of all is the "New York Call," which settles the Alsace-Lorraine and all other territorial problems by the simple phrase, "peace" without any transfers of territory.

When we come to Austria and Turkey, almost a great unanimity prevails, the only exception being Haynsman, representing the Belgian minority. He very mildly demands the transfer to Rumania of such parts of Transylvania as may be voluntarily ceded by Austria. As to Trieste, Austrian and Italian Socialists are to decide. Haynsman does not mention the fact that Italian Socialists, representing perhaps 5 per cent of the Italian people, wish Trieste to remain in the hands of Austria. Haynsman also made some timid demand as to Turkey. There is to be a Jewish Zion, but it is to be created by Germany and Turkey. Armenia, below Rumania in Russian hands, is to remain there. Even these timid demands are mostly negative, not shared by any of the socialist parties represented in Stockholm nor by the British nor American Socialists. Certainly, if there are to be no transfers of territory, even Austria will have to remain under Turkey.

But it is when we come to the attitude towards the overthrow of Kaiserism in Germany that we find the most astounding results. All of these so-called Democrats and international groups have hailed the revolution of Russia as the new birth of liberty and democracy, but not a single one of them demands a similar revolution in Germany. On the contrary all agree with the expressed position of the German Socialists that "a continuation of war is not necessary to force free institution on Germany." This is the position both of the minority and the majority in Germany, Austria and Hungary. The handful of revolutionary leaders of a third German group, who, being genuine revolutionaries, have publicly recognized that the revolution must occur as the result of the outside pressure before the end of the war, nearly all are imprisoned. Tidbits of America, who like all other Socialists, always abhorred interference in the affairs of Russia under the Czar, says truly that he Stockholm conference does not intend to interfere with the internal affairs of Germany. But this is by no means the full extent of the pro-German and pro-Kaiser sentiment among the Socialist factions represented at Stockholm. Stauding, the leader of the Socialists of Denmark, and a cabinet minister in that country, expressed views that is undoubtedly the prevalent view among the Stockholm Socialists that whereas there is no immediate need of revolution in Germany,

there should be a further revolution in Russia, which would result first in a separate peace and then in a general peace on the terms of the German Socialists, as endorsed by all the other Socialist factions mentioned. Stauding said there there will be no separate peace until "the present Russian government is overthrown and a proletarian cabinet takes its place and sends plenipotentiary delegates to Germany."

Here then is the final conclusion of the so-called International Stockholm conference. There is to be a further revolution in Russia, then a threat of separate peace and finally a general peace which will establish the empires of Central Europe, which is the main purpose of the Kaiser and the German military caste in the present war.

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All Buy Liberty Bonds. Then Do a Bit More by Aid of Relief Societies.

After establishing an enviable record in the purchase of Liberty bonds, the employes of the Connellsville postoffice repeated the performance by contributing a total of \$666.31 to the Red Cross in the campaign just closed. The list of contributions follows:

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Cash	15.85
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Perryopolis.

PERRYOPOLIS, June 29.—Miss Mary Johnston of Chicago and Miss Anna Johnston of Pittsburgh have returned home after a visit with Miss Hilda Anderson.

Miss Alice Olander of Jackson, was in town Tuesday.

Mrs. Wiley Williams is recovering from a severe attack of acute indigestion.

The house occupied by Fred Williams was struck with lightning during the storm Tuesday evening, resulting in the loss of a chimney.

A daughter arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stuckel Tuesday.

Edward Bender of Confluence, was in town Wednesday.

John Hill of McKeesport transacted business in town yesterday.

Mary Sloan of Connellsville, was a busines caller in town Wednesday.

Mrs. Lois Blair has returned home from Meier for her annual vacation.

T. H. Hasson of Mountainea, is visiting his brother, James Hasson.

Ohioopyle.

OHIOOPYLE, June 29.—Mrs. T. M. Mitchell spent Thursday shopping and calling on Connellsville friends.

Misses Elizabeth, Lina and Madeline Rafferty who have spent the past several weeks here with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rafferty, left for their home at Clatsontown yesterday.

Miss Helen Robinson of Ursina spent Thursday the guest of relatives here.

Mrs. D. J. Potter was shopping and calling on friends in Connellsville yesterday.

Miss Hattie Daniels has returned to Braddock after a several day's visit here.

Mrs. William Johnson was calling on relatives at Bear Run yesterday.

Mrs. Jennie Eney returned to Uniontown last evening after a short visit here.

Mrs. Russell Davis and two children spent Thursday visiting relatives at Blawie.

Mrs. Rosalind Linderman was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Geary Shipley at Blawie yesterday.

THIS WOMAN TOLD TO CHOOSE

Between Operation and Death, Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Des Moines, Iowa.—"My husband says I would have been in my grave today had it not been for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I suffered from a serious female trouble and the doctors said I could not live one year without an operation. My husband objected to the operation and got me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I soon commenced to get better and am now well and able to do my own housework. I can recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to any woman as a wonderful health restorer."—Mrs. BLANCHE JEFFERSON, 703 Lyon St., Des Moines. This famous remedy, the medicinal ingredients of which are derived from highly priced root and herb drugs, has been proved its value in such cases. Women everywhere bear willing testimony to the wonderful virtue of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

The Whole City Should Turn Out Saturday for Bargains Like These, The Last Day of the Big Sale

TO DOUBLE THE SALES IN JUNE

The last day of this sale will be greater than the opening day—greater in values, greater in variety and greater in enthusiasm. Connellsville has never known values like these, for the closing day of this sale. Prices which have been so sensationaly low, as to allow of the great volume of business during the month of June, will be still further reduced to make tomorrow—Saturday—the biggest business day of the whole month.



Women's Silk Gloves

WORTH 75c.

"NIAGARA MAID."

The wearing qualities of this glove needs no publicity, everybody recommends them, double finger tips in white, black, grey, navy and pongee.

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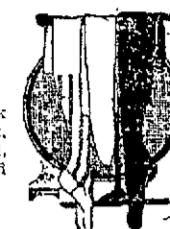
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SILK BOOT HOSE

69c VALUE

Deep hem top, extra quality silk hosiery, double heel and toe in pink, lavender, green, putty, silver, gold, bronze, palm, peach, white and black. Special

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Startling Reductions in Women's Ready-to-Wear

Coats Worth up to \$5
Suits to \$15.00
Dresses Values

Here's a FIVE DOLLAR SALE that will be the sensation of the city tomorrow. Such smart styles and extraordinary quality in all the newest materials and large range of colors. It seems almost unbelievable but nevertheless an inspection will be convincing.

Coats Up to \$25.00
Suits Values

We have resolved to MAKE SATURDAY'S BCSI-NESS BIG—Coats, Suits and Dresses embodying the newest styles and best materials, and offered at a price that should attract every woman who wants to limit her outlay to \$1.00.

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Suits and Coats

Up to \$35.00

Values at . . . \$15

We urge everyone of our patrons to take advantage of this extraordinary price concession. The styles are such that can be worn now and for early Fall. From market reports the same quality of materials are advancing threefold.—This lot comprises Polka Twills, Poplins, Wool Jerseys, Velours, Gabardines and Serves.

A One Day Rousing Sale SILK SKIRTS . . . \$3.95

Featuring the new style notes in silk skirting, superior quality fancy Roman stripes, novelty plaids and plain navy and black. Styling new pouch pockets, sport belts and elevator shirring. Saturday, special \$3.95.

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CONDITIONS THAT MAKE COAL SCARCE AND HIGH IN PRICE

War Has Reduced Production
in Many European Fields;
Demand Greater.

100 PER CENT INCREASE

In Costs of Mining, Including Labor,
Materials, and Supplies, Safety Pre-
cautions, and Legal Requirements;
Effects of Inequalities in Distribution

The year 1916 closed with a new high record for tonnage output and an increased stability in the coal trade. The total tonnage produced in the country was 688,000,000, as against the previous high mark of 660,000,000. This is 29 per cent of the total tonnage of the world. Great Britain coming next with about half as much and Germany, Austria-Hungary, France, Belgium and Russia following in order. The country's coal bill at the mines was nearly \$80,000,000, of which the railroads, the country's biggest coal customers, paid about 25 per cent.

Now is the supply in the ground running short. The report of the United States Geological Survey shows that there are still resting under the soil of the United States 4,000,000,000 tons of coal and that since mining began in 1820 only 12,000,000,000 tons have been removed, which is less than one-third of one per cent of the total supply. A considerable fraction of this lies in the entire piles which the companies now find it profitable to strip. At this rate it is estimated that there will be an abundance of coal for the next three or four thousand years.

Closer analysis shows, nevertheless, that the annual output of anthracite is actually falling off. This, however, is owing, not to the exhaustion of supply in the ground, but to increasing difficulties in mining it. Last year the total anthracite output was 67,376,371 tons, a decrease of 507,412 tons as compared with 1916.

In addition to this shortage one of the obvious reasons given for the increased cost is the rise in price of all commodities used in the mining industry, some increases being over 100 per cent. Another evident item is the advance in wages. The 20 per cent raise granted to the bituminous men in April added \$100,000,000 a year in operating expenses. The anthracite raise which went into effect May 1 adds another \$33,000,000. It is estimated that wage increases alone will account for an advance of at least twenty-five cents a ton over 1916 figures.

Another important factor is the steadily increasing depth to which miners have to go for the coal. This not only increases the cost, but decreases the output. Still another cause is the shortage of labor supply. Many miners have been attracted to munition factories. Many of the unorganized element have returned home to fight in the armies of Europe. The supply of mining recruits has been cut down tremendously by the falling off of immigration. There were only 356,769 immigrants to this country last year, as compared with 1,337,318 the year before the war. The proportion of able-bodied male laborers in the present migration is also very much less than it was before the war. Furthermore, those who are employed are working shorter hours. It requires an army of nearly 800,000 to man the coal mines of America, and to keep this recruited to full strength under present conditions is no small problem.

A further cause of coal shortage, the producers declare, is the seasonal and regional inequality of distribution. They say it is impossible to supply the nation with all needed fuel by direct shipment from the mines. They blame the public, on the one hand, for not putting in their coal supply during the dull season, thus keeping more even stream of transportation going throughout the year. They blame the Interstate Commerce Commission and the various state commissions, on the other hand, for the increasing reconstraining and demurrage charges by which they have sought to remedy the evil by changing routes of shipments. Into this enters the problem of storage. The amount the mine owners can afford to store during the dull season is limited.

One of the results of this is the cutting down of the number of days of work done at the mines annually. The bituminous mines, for instance, have a continuous capacity for production fifty per cent in excess of any current need without adding a new mine, the railroads. This last year the railroads of the country consumed approximately 150,000,000 tons of coal.

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Women's 59c Silk Hose, all colors.

Special
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and white. Special

Women's 50c Lisle Hose, in white and
black. Special

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59c

19c

Record Purchase of up to \$25 SILK DRESSES



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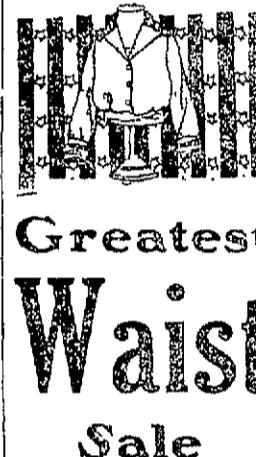
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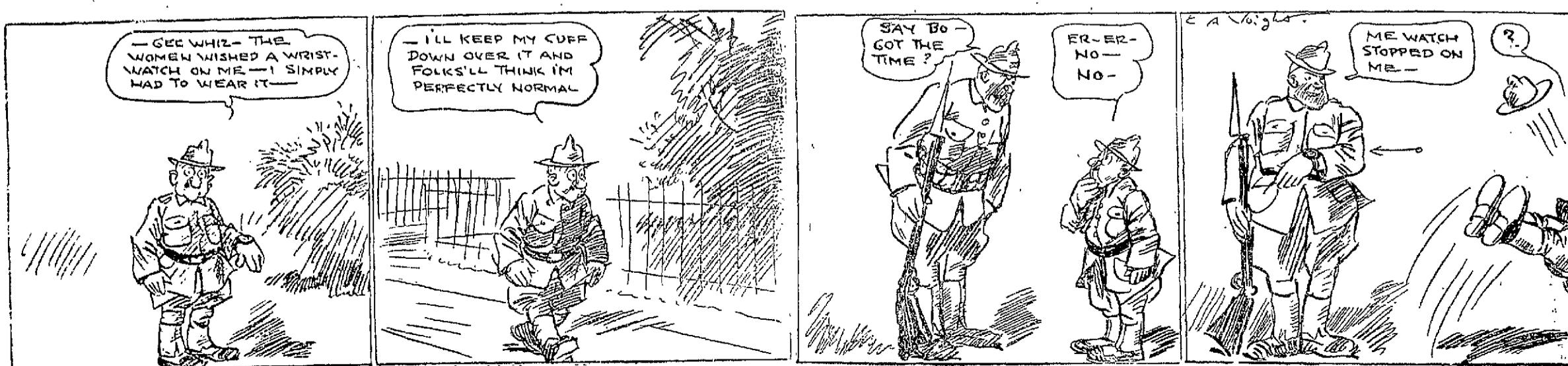
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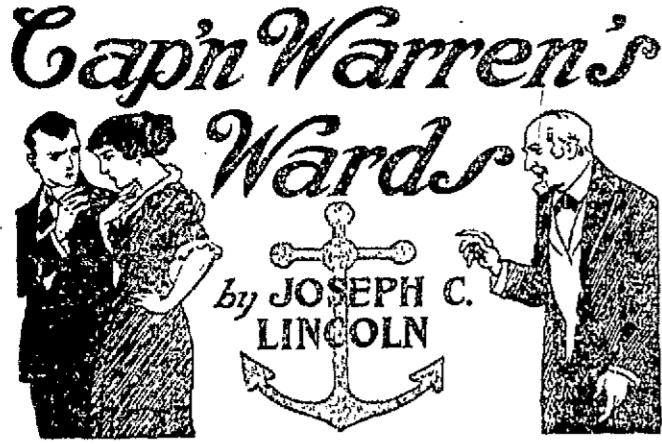
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By C. A. VOIGHT





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Stephen had never been very popular, and his absence at college still further reduced the number of young people who might be inclined to call. Their not calling confirmed Caroline's belief that she and her brother were deliberately shunned because of their change in circumstances, and she grew more sensitive and proudly resentful in consequence. Naturally she turned for comfort to those who remained faithful, the Dunsas in particular. They were loyal to her. Therefore, with the intensity of her nature, she became doubly loyal to them. The rector of St. Denis dropped in frequently, and others occasionally, but she was lonely. She craved the society of those nearer her own age.

Pearson's coming, then, was psychologically apt. When he made his next call upon Captain Elsha to find the latter out, but his wife at home, she welcomed him cordially and insisted upon his staying until her guardian returned. The conversation was at first embarrassing for the ex-reporter. She spoke of her father, and Pearson—the memory of his last interview with the latter fresh in his mind and painfully aware that she knew nothing of it—felt guilty and like a hypocrite. But soon the subject changed, and when the captain entered the library he found the pair laughing and chattering like old acquaintances as of course, they were.

Captain Elsha, paying no attention to his friend's shyness of the hand, invited his niece to be present at the reading of the latest addition to what he called "mine and Jim's record break in sea yarn."

"It's really mine, you understand, Caroline," he observed, with a wink. "I'm silent partner in the firm—if you can call the one that does all the talk in silent—and Jim don't do nothing but make it up and write it and get the profits. Course, you didn't mention this to him, 'cause he thinks he's the author and 'would hurt his feelings.' 'He's quite right,' declared Pearson emphatically. "If the thing is ever

"My, my!" he exclaimed, after an instant's pause. "Twenty years old! Think of it! Bije's girl's a young woman now, isn't she? I can't tell how proud of you too. He ought to have been. I presume likely he didn't forget your birthday."

He rose to help her with the heavy coat. As he lifted it from her shoulders he bent forward and caught a glimpse of her face.

"There, there," he said, hastily. "Don't feel bad, darlin'. I didn't mean to hurt your feelings. Excuse me. I was thinkin' out loud, sort of."

She did not answer at once, but turned away to remove her cap. Then she answered, without looking at him.

"I'll never forget them," she said. "Course he didn't. Well, you see, I didn't forget either."

"It was unfor-tu-nate," continued the captain, conscious of having made a mistake, "that maybe we might celebrate somehow, in a quiet way."

"No, I am not in the mood for—celebrations."

"Oh, I didn't mean fireworks and the town band. I just thought—"

"Please don't. I remember other birthdays too well."

They had been great occasions, those birthdays of hers, ever since she was a little girl. On the eighteenth she made her debut in society, and the gown she wore on that memorable evening was laid away upstairs, a cherished memento, to be kept as long as she lived.

Each year Rodgers Warren took his niece to a grand ball in July. The year Jim was adopted, and it's mighty interesting to me anyhow."

"I'm sure it will be to me also," declared the young lady. "Captain Warren has told me all about it. Mr. Pearson, and I'm very eager to hear the new portion."

"There," Captain Elsha snipped his knee. "There, Jim," he exclaimed. "You hear that? Now you've got to read it. Anchor's speak! Heave ahead and get under way!"

So because he could not well refuse the author reluctantly began to read, and, as usual, his natural friend to interrupt and comment. Caroline listened, her eyes twinkling. When the reading and the arguments were at an end she declared it was all splendid. "Just like being at sea myself," she said. "I positively refuse to permit another fulfillment to be submitted unless I am—on deck. That's the proper phrase isn't it, captain?"

"Oh, I should like that! But will he print it? Has he written you?"

"Her? Yes. I can't tell he'll be on deck. He's—er—yes, he's written me."

He smiled as he answered. As a matter of fact, the correspondence between Stephen and himself had been lengthy and voluminous on the part of the former and brief and businesslike on his own. The boy on his return to college had found "conditions" awaiting him, and the amount of hard work involved in their clearance was not at all to his taste. He wrote his guardian before the first week was over a assurance that the whole business was foolishness and a waste of time. He should come home at once, he said, and he notified the captain that such was his intention. Captain Elsha replied with promptness and decision. If he came home he would be sent back, that was all. "I realize you've got a job ahead of you, son," wrote the captain, "but you can do it if you will. Fact is I guess you've got to. So will in and above us what you've made of."

Stephen's answer was a five page declaration of independence. He refused to be bullied by any living man. He and the young man became fast acquaintances at such succeeding "literary clinics," as the latter called them. When Rodgers Warren first introduced him at their former home he had impressed her favorably, largely because of her desire to like the one whom her father favored. She worshipped the dead brother, and his memory to her was sacred. She would have forgiven and did forgive any wrong he might have done her, even his brother's appointment as guardian, though that she could not understand. Unlike Stephen, who fiercely resented the whole affair and said bitter things concerning his parent, she believed he had done what he considered right. Her feeling against Captain Elsha had been based upon the latter's acceptance of that appointment when he should have realized his unfitness. And his living with them and disengaging them in the eyes of their friends by his uncouth country ways made her blind to his good qualities.

He had made arrangements to come to New York on the following Monday, and he was coming. As to being sent back, he wished his uncle to understand that it was his duty to order and another to enforce obedience. To which he received the following note:

"I can't stop you from coming, Steve, except by going to the lawyer and holding you in jail, which I don't propose to do for two reasons—first, that it is too much trouble, and second, that it isn't necessary. You can come home once in awhile to see your mother, but you mustn't stay more than a week. If you do I shall take the car fare out of your allowance. Likewise, board while you are here and stop that allowance for a month as a sort of fine for mutiny. So you better take care of yourself, and I won't write Caroline that I was coming or thinking of coming till I had my mind made up. She believes you are working hard at your lessons. I shouldn't disappoint her, especially as there wouldn't be any use. Your affectionate uncle."

ELISHA WARREN.

The Mortality matter touched her conscience, and she saw more clearly. But she was very far from considering him an equal or other than what Mrs. Corcoran Dunn termed him, an "eccentrician," even yet. She forced herself to be kind and tolerant and gave him more of her society, though she did not accompany him on his walks or out of door excursions.

One evening while a clinic was in progress Mrs. Dunn and Malcolm called. The sharp-eyed widow took in the situation at a glance. She determined to keep her eye on Mr. Pearson and find out more about him. His visits were not conducive to Malcolm's chances.

CHAPTER X.

"The Old Tyrant From Cape Cod."

A important event was about to take place. At least, it seemed important to Captain Elsha, although the person most intimately concerned appeared to have forgotten it entirely. He ventured to remind her of it.

"Caroline," he said, "Sunday is your birthday, isn't it?"

His niece looked at him in surprise. "Yes," she answered, "it is. How do you know?"

"Why, I remembered, that's all,"

Graves, the lawyer man, told me how

old you and Steve were, first time I met him. And his partner, Mr. Sylvester, gave me the date one day when he was goin' over your pa's will. You'll be twenty years old Sunday, won't you?"

"You?"

It was late in the afternoon, and she had been out since 10 o'clock shopping with Mrs. Dunn, lunching down town with the latter and Malcolm, and motorcycling for an hour or two. The weather for the season was mild and sunny, and the crisp air had brightened her cheeks, her eyes sparkled, her fur coat and cap were very becoming, and Captain Elsha inspected her admiringly before making another remark.

"My, my!" he exclaimed, after an instant's pause. "Twenty years old! Think of it! Bije's girl's a young woman now, isn't she? I can't tell how proud of you too. He ought to have been. I presume likely he didn't forget your birthday."

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"Course he didn't. Well, you see, I didn't forget either."

It was an unfortunate remark, tame as it was, in her mind, a comparison between her handsome, dignified father and his rude, uncultured brother. The contrast was ever present in her thoughts, and she did not need to be reminded of it. She made no effort to be reminded of it. She made no effort.

"I was thinkin'," continued the captain, conscious of having made a mistake, "that maybe we might celebrate somehow, in a quiet way."

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for him at present, he tore up the long letter of grievance which he had written her and in that which took the place mentioned merely that he was "grinding like blazes," and the only satisfaction he got from it was his removal from the society of the "old tyrant from Cape Cod."

He accepted the tyrant's invitation to return for the week end and his sister's birthday with no hesitation whatever, and his letter of acceptance was so polite as to be almost humble.

He arrived on an early train Saturday morning. Caroline met him at the station, and the Dunn's car conveyed him to the latter's residence, where they were to spend the day. The Dunsas and Caroline had been together almost constantly since one evening when Malcolm and his mother interrupted the reading of the novel. The former, while professing to be harassed by business cares, sacrificed time to the extent of devoting at least a part of each twenty-four hours to the young lady's needs. She was rarely allowed to be alone with her in it, a circumstance which troubled her much less than it did him. He missed the evenings when he had enjoyed so much, and the next consultation over the adventures of Pearson's "Uncle Jim" and his "Mary" seemed flat and uninteresting without criticism and advice.

The author himself noticed the difference.

"Hot!" he exclaimed, throwing the manuscript aside in disgust. "It's not fit! I can't even get better stuff than that I'd better quit. And I thought it was pretty nigh everything under the sun. Say, Jim, you've been workin' too hard yourself. Why don't you take tomorrow off and cruise around the stores holdin' me pick out a present. Come along—do it!"

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The use of powdered coal as a sub-
stitute for natural gas in the heating
of buildings by burning the dust in a
furnace and transmitting the heat in
the regular way is being very thought-
fully considered. Those supporting
this method of conserving the coal
supply as well as meeting the needs
of no gas for the schools, apart-
ment houses and many homes this
winter, say that a pulverizing applica-
tion is the most needed of all applica-
tions in the heating trade, which will
be suitable to make coal dust for small
plants, like tenement houses, schools
and office buildings.

The officials of the city smoke bu-
reaus when asked about the likelihood
of use of coal dust for heating, said the
insurance companies might object, as coal dust is dangerous to
health and requires expertise in its
use. An official of a steel company
said it was possible to burn the dust for
heating purposes, but added that at
the present it was not practical, af-
fording that if a fire occurs extreme
heat results as well as a possible loss
of one-fourth of the supply.

Another said that if the metallurgical
plants could treble the output of
their furnaces and reduce the output
per ton over three-fifths, then
other appliances for domestic and
other use than furnace service will
rise to make coal dust safe for ser-
vice in smaller areas.

In order to conserve coal, since the
supply must be conserved, coal dust
may be used. It has recently been
learned that there are no waste prod-
ucts from coal mines any more than
there is in other industries, an great
advancement of scientific
methods of all kinds.

Powdered coal as a servant of man,
especially to war with Spain in 1898,
brought into the service in 1898.
The Spanish fleet had it in a rotary
pulverizing furnace in 1898. In 1898 a
large steam-powered furnace turned it in
cannon kites in the United States. In
1901 it was first used in a pulverizing
furnace, and seven years ago
appeared in the metallurgical furnaces
hereabouts. Now a dozen of the largest
plants in the Pittsburgh district
are using it. Not only for a conserva-

tion of the coal supply looking for-
ward to the shortage of gas, but for
the saving in money outlay for other
forms of fuel.

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of the large type and the great office
buildings powdered coal from several
years of known service in factories
will do the following things through
the process of carbonization:

Burn up all the coal particles, using
every atom of energy coal contains;
will give the greatest amount of heat;
with this fuel used in perfect combus-
tion will burn up low-grade coals,
waste mine washings and screenings;
will solve the smoke problem by re-
ducing the amount required to pro-
duce the amount of heat.

As for the advisability of conserving
the country's supply of coal at this
time when the nation is facing a long
war, with the necessity of furnishing
coal to other nations who have no
time now to mine their deposits, the
following facts are offered:

Transportation cost will be reduced,
because less fuel is used for a given
result; no waste in preparation for the
heat needed, as it gives instant re-
sponse, thereby controlling fuel sup-
ply; heat production may be adjusted
to meet load requirements; it means
reduction in the cost of handling fuel.
And as to all the ways coal dust may
be applied for service, in view of the
slow wasting of the gas supply, the
results stagger the imagination.

Meyersdale.

MEYERSDALE, June 26.—Mr. and
Mrs. Charles Hughes and children of
Akron, O., are spending a few weeks
here visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Nan Hocking returned yester-
day from a two weeks' visit with re-
latives in Pittsburgh.

N. E. Miller left yesterday on a busi-
ness trip to Pittsburgh.

Miss Nelly Stoller of Hooversville,
is a guest at the home of her grandmother,
Mrs. E. O. L. Stoller.

Miss Lydia Holtzhaus of Connells-
ville, spent Monday here visiting
friends.

Mrs. S. S. Sease and son, William,
were guests the fore part of the week
of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs.
W. H. Doeter.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Pfahler and son,
who have returned from Cumberland,
where they visited the former's sister,
Mrs. Clarence Valentine.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Linniger and
three children of Mechanicsburg, Pa.,
are visiting at the home of Mr. and
Mrs. N. E. Miller.

Mrs. Mildred Payne returned yes-
terday from a few days' visit with
friends in Keyser, W. Va.

Miss Ada Treasler is home from
Johnstown where she visited relatives
for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. William E. Meyers and
two children of Akron, O., are guests
at the home of Mrs. Meyer's parents,
Mr. and Mrs. Peter Woldner.

Bank Statements.

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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

The wedding of Miss Emma A. Aronson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel B. Aronson of Pittsburgh, and Max J. Spain of Pittsburgh, was solemnized yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock in the Rittenhouse. In the Adams room a lattice effect was arranged with vines and shaded by palms and ferns, as a backdrop for the wedding party. The bride's gown was of white satin made in a court train and trimmed with pearls. Her flowers were white roses and lilies of the valley. Miss A. J. Robieck of this city, a sister of the bride, and Mrs. Bennett Levy were matrons of honor. Miss Rosalie Kobacker, maid of honor, Miss MacLean, Miss Edith Lewis, Miss Florence Trosky of Pittsburgh, bridesmaid, and Harry M. Aronson, best man. The ushers were Dan Baker, Joseph A. Aronson, Jacob H. Aronson, Harvey M. Aronson, and Isadore Spain. The women of the bridal party wore frocks of Georgette crepe over satin in various shades, carrying out the rainbow effect. Their arm bouquets were of garden flowers harmonizing with their gowns. A reception followed with dinner, and dancing in the ball room. The bride has a number of friends in Connellsville and Mount Pleasant. Out of town guests at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Alfred J. Kobacker of Connellsville, Mr. and Mrs. H. Kobacker, Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Kobacker and Miss Rosalie Kobacker of Mount Pleasant.

A patriotic captain "Uncle Sam's" Reunion will be given Monday evening in the Trinity Reformed church by the Junior and Intermediate departments of the Sunday school, under the direction of Mrs. J. S. Ishoda. No admission will be charged but a silver offering will be taken. The cast of characters is as follows: "Uncle Sam," Eugene Wagnon; "Mr. Liberty," Miss Gertrude B. Roden; "Mr. Civil Ready," Mildred Palmer; "Mr. Peace," Lloyd Meader; "Mr. Hyphen," Herbert Ellis; "Miss Suffrage," from Aspinwall; "Miss Anti," Matilda Blair; "Mr. Patriot," William Dutra; "Miss Press," Lillian Pennington; "Mr. Money Bags," Lillian Wagnon; "Miss Motherhood," Mary Keay; "Miss Southland," Lorraine Parsonage; "Miss Eastrie," Helen Hoover; "Miss Westown," Rebecca Pharr. Others will participate in re-enacting soldiers, sailors and the different states in the union.

Employees of the L. Dunn store held a delightful picnic in a lot at Shady Grove park. The outfit was prettily arranged and all present had a very enjoyable time. Soon after the arrival of the picnickers at the park an elaborate supper consisting of all the picnic delicacies of the season was served. Dancing was the amusement and the remainder of the evening about 20 persons attended.

Fancywork was the amusement at a delightful meeting of the Clever twelve club last evening at the home of Mrs. L. A. Ladd and Elizabeth Patterson in Morton avenue. Bounty refreshments were served.

A surprise birthday party was given in Pittsburgh last Saturday in honor of Miss Lillian Burns, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Burns, formerly of Connellsville but now of Pittsburgh. The event was a celebration of the sixth birthday of Miss Burns. Covers were laid out twelve, the color scheme being carried out through use of pink, rose, and white colors. Mr. and Mrs. Burns and daughter Miss Mary, of Connellsville, were among the guests present.

The regular meeting of the Ladies Aid society of the First Baptist church will be held this evening at the home of Mrs. L. N. S. Hall in Gallatin avenue.

Miss Olive Whipple will entertain her Glad-to-see club this evening at her home in Aspinwall.

Miss Thelma Taylor will entertain the G. G. Girls club this evening at her home in South Connellsville.

Members of the King's Daughters of the First Presbyterian church are requested to bring their knitting to the regular monthly meeting, and social meeting to be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the church parlor.

The engagement of Miss Martha Lason, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Lason of East Cedar avenue to William F. Brinkman, son of Mrs. David Brinkman of East Cedar, was announced yesterday at a charmingly appointed tea room yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock by Miss Katharine Fisher in her home in West Crawford avenue. Pink roses, to which the card of Miss Lason and her fiance were attached, were distributed by Betty Thomas, the small daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Delano C. Thomas of Pittsburgh and a cousin of Miss Lason. Miss Lason's mother, were Miss Anne Wilson, who presided at the tea table, Miss Gertrude Reid, Miss Catherine Gans and Mr. Louis Gans. Miss Lason, who wore a handsome pink silk gown over silver cloth, and a corsage of pink roses, was presented with a ladies engagement gift by the host. Pink roses were most effectively used in decorating. The Joyce Catering company of Pittsburgh served the announcement of the engagement of Miss Lason and Mr. Brinkman, who are popular members of Connellsville's younger social set, came as a great surprise to the guests, as well as to many other friends. Miss Lason is one of the city's leading socialites and is known in musical circles in Pittsburgh, being

Appetite Finicky and Fussy? Tempt it with a light, nutritious food that helps you to shake off the shackles of a Winter diet. Eat Shredded Wheat Biscuit with berries and cream or milk. Two or three of these Biscuits with fruits and green vegetables make a nourishing, satisfying meal at a cost of a few cents. Ready-to-eat—no cookery, no kitchen worry.



Made at Niagara Falls, N. Y.

arrived home last night from an automobile trip to Atlantic City, Philadelphia, Washington and Baltimore. We have them in all sizes, \$1 to 2. White Canvas Barefoot Sandals. Price 75c. Brownell Shoe Co.—Adv.—27-31.

Miss J. C. Moore of Harrisburg, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Moore.

Miners' and Children's White Canvas Baby Doll Trunks, \$1 to 2, while this last, price \$3. Brownell Shoe Co.—Adv.—27-31.

W. A. Little went to Pittsburgh this morning on business.

Mason's Polish for white canvas, 7c. Brownell Shoe Co.—Adv.—27-31.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph M. Cutibertonson, are spending the week-end at the Ohio City hotel.

Uncle Sam's Special. It's an army shoe, sold elsewhere for \$6.50, our price, \$5.50. Brownell Shoe Co.—Adv.—27-31.

Mrs. Ralph F. Silger and Miss Gertie Lindsey attended the Epsilon Lengua convention at Mount Pleasant yesterday.

You lose it if you don't attend our Shoe sale. It's the last week. Brownell Shoe Co.—Adv.—27-31.

Mrs. Louis Baker and Mrs. M. J. Rowe of Greenwood, have returned home from a visit at the county home near Uniontown.

Misses' Tan Barefoot Sandals, sizes 1½ to 2. Priced at \$1.05 all week. Brownell Shoe Co.—Adv.—27-31.

Saturday at Wright-Metzger Co.'s, choice of all ladies', misses' and children's Corsets, half-price.—Adv.—29-1.

J. J. Robson of Greenwood, returned home today from a visit with relatives and friends in Washington county.

Dargans in Footwear for the whole family during our June sale. Brownell Shoe Co.—Adv.—27-31.

W. E. Kelley was in Pittsburgh today on business.

For the best and cheapest repairs on that roof, conductor or spouting, see F. T. Burns.—Adv.

Mrs. T. M. Mitchell of Ohio City, was scalping in town yesterday.

Scalp examination free, electric head and face treatment especially. This morning, Mrs. George is the mother of A. J. George and of Mrs. Suter of South Pittsburg street, George Markovich of Elm Grove eight years old, underwent a mastoid operation today.

About 40 new memberships have been secured in addition to Mrs. Norton's. The names of these new Red Cross workers will be announced by Miss Sarah Scaton, secretary, tomorrow.

PROGRESS ON BUILDING

Work on New High School Coming Along Rapidly.

Shipments of material for the new high school building have practically all arrived, and the fear that the construction work would be delayed by non-arrival has been allayed. The last shipment of face brick came in yesterday, for instance, and a carload of flooring is expected at any minute. The windows have now all arrived. Stone to replace that which fell from the cornice several weeks ago was shipped Monday.

The work is coming along nicely. Plastering in the auditorium, with the exception of some ornamental work, has been finished. Painters are at work on the window frames. The swimming pool is ready for the tiling. The concrete floors have all been poured, and the workmen are ready to begin on the wooden floors.

DUNBAR MAN HURT

John Henry Hart Severely Squeezed at Manganese Company Mine.

John Henry Hart, 25 years old, employee at the mine of the American Manganese company at Dunbar, while at work last night, was caught in a cage and severely squeezed about the abdomen. He was brought to Connellsville and removed to the Cottage State hospital. His condition was improved today and it was stated by hospital authorities that all his injuries were not considered critical.

Mrs. William George of Homestead, 50 years old, underwent an operation this morning. Mrs. George is the mother of A. J. George and of Mrs. Suter of South Pittsburg street. George Markovich of Elm Grove eight years old, underwent a mastoid operation today.

HELP AMUSE GUARDS.

Bliss and Guest Take Part in Soldiers' Entertainment at Wheeling.

Bliss and Guest, the two Scotch-yearders who have attained professional skill as comedy acrobats and who made a big hit at the Elks' minstrels here last winter, took part in a recent entertainment given under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. of Wheeling, W. Va., for the amusement of several companies of the National Guard, stationed at the West Virginia State Fair grounds.

The affair was a decided success, and the act of the Scotchies boy scored a big hit.

Girl Leaves Home.

Teressa Collins, 16 year old daughter of F. D. Collins of Scottdale, was arrested by the police at the Baltimore & Ohio station here Wednesday night. She had run away from her home and bought a ticket out of town when the police found her. She refused to go back to Scottdale with her father, and was forced to have a warrant issued for her. Chief of Police Frank McCadden of Scottdale took her from the lockup here yesterday.

Miner Fatally Hurt.

Joseph Mier, aged 16, of West Overton, was fatally injured by a fall on top of the mine of the West Overton Coal company yesterday. He was brought to the Mount Pleasant hospital, where he died soon afterward. His skull was fractured and several ribs broken.

Licensed to Wed.

Harrison Wise and Wilbert Taylor of Dunbar, were granted a marriage license in Unifonton yesterday.

Licensed in Cumberland.

Clarence Shannon Fair of Hopwood and Clara Vera Rowe of Connellsville, were granted a license to wed in Cumberland yesterday.

Concert for Red Cross.

A concert will be held Monday night in the Presbyterian church at Dunbar for the benefit of the Dunbar Red Cross.

For Taxi Service.

See Lyman D. Nevill at McNealy Hotel or Wells-Mills Garage. Trips at all hours.—Adv.—28-31.

At Your Grocer's.

BAKER'S FRESH GRATED COCONUT

½ cupful of

Grated Coconut

½ cupful of butter, 1 cupful of

granulated sugar

½ cupful of

coconut milk; 2 cupfuls of

flour; 2 level

teaspoons of

baking powder. 12c

Cream butter, sugar and light

coconut milk, half the

flour and baking powder,

the coconut which has been

pressed dry in fruit press or

cheesecloth. Beat the whites

of eggs until light; fold in and

add the rest of flour.

Bake in two nine-inch jelly

tins in moderate oven for

twenty-five minutes. Put to

gether with boiled coconut

icing and cover top and sides;

sprinkle with coconut.

Complete Recipe Booklet on Request

BAKER'S

FRESH GRATED COCONUT

in the Original Milk

In Cans, Net in Paper Package

NOT & Deseated Coconut

Baker's Fresh Grated Coconut is from the coconut tree. The original milk in which this coconut is packed is from the coconut tree. It is not dried and is not pasteurized.

It is not pasteurized.

It is not dried.

BIGGEST TASK OF THEIR HISTORY NOW CONFRONTS R. R. S.

To Furnish Transportation in Largest Measure the Problem.

VAST COMPLICATIONS

Which Surround the Handling of Traffic Seen Almost Inextricable. Solution Lies in Bringing the Factors Into the Proper Relation.

"To furnish transportation in the largest measure is what the railroads are trying to do," says Fairfax Harrison, president of the Southern Railway Association's Special Committee on National Defense, in the current issue of the *Railway Age Gazette*. "The transportation machine," declares Mr. Harrison, "in spite of the vicissitudes of past years, is an effective vehicle for doing the business of the country and for performing the additional duties which the present situation has put upon it. It cannot be suddenly amplified. That takes time, even with the government behind it."

"The railroads are far from having broken down as has been said of them. They are producing more transportation than ever before, but still the demand is greater than the supply."

"There has been a direct result of the war in Europe. In consequence, those sections of the country have been constantly threatened with blockade, which has only been prevented by almost continuous embargoes. It has been necessary to move out of the congested districts cars needed for the general business of the country in other sections. In certain of the producing sections of the country as fast as cars could be driven into them they immediately moved out again and back into the congested districts with the result that an almost continuous car shortage has existed in parts of the country and a constant accumulation of loaded cars in other parts."

"The same condition exists today, intensified, however, by the fact that this country having entered the war, the necessity is to continue those shipments into the congested districts of the East."

"To the complications surrounding the handling of traffic under these circumstances there must now be added the fact that vastly increased purchases of material of all sorts by the army and the navy must necessarily require that a constantly increasing proportion of the transportation business of the country be for the account of the government."

"It may be assumed that during the past winter more traffic was constantly offered for transportation than could be promptly handled. The necessity for giving preference in car supply to shipments made for the government necessarily involves a corresponding reduction in that handled for commercial interests, unless the efficiency of the transportation machinery can be increased to a still greater extent. The physical plant cannot suddenly be enlarged. It is possible, however, to increase in a measure the supply of transportation by increased efficiency and especially by cooperation between shippers and railroads."

"To accomplish this, suggestions have been made and it is necessary, not only for the railroads to adopt every means at their disposal, even at increased cost, but that every shipper and receiver of freight do his part to carry out the suggestions made to them from time to time, with this end in view."

"An army is to be created. From a transportation point of view this involves the erection of many cities, each having many thousand inhabitants. These cities must be constructed within a very short time. All the material for their construction must be assembled by the railroad; cars must be furnished to move it; tracks must be laid on which to dispose of it; after the cities are built, facilities must be provided and the substances of the army living in these cities must be assured."

"An army must be sent across the water. The part of the railroads in this is to mobilize their equipment to provide for the prompt movement of vast bodies of men at such times and to such points as the government may designate. There can be no failure nor delay. It will involve treating coaches, cars and locomotives as though there were no individual ownership in them, and will necessitate use and cooperation of terminals already vastly overtaxed."

"To equip this army, vast quantities of material must be moved from all conceivable points to be concentrated where it is to be used."

"During the time that these things are being done, the food supply of our people must be made available for them. This transportation

"All these things are to be brought into relation with each other. Those who are charged with the responsibility of seeing that food is created and distributed, that coal is provided, that troops are moved, that munitions are available, all these, beyond their purpose to serve the government, must be furnished."

"We are at war—in a great and terrible war, fraught with limitless possibilities of danger. The measure of this has not developed. The realization of the effort and sacrifice we must make has not come home to many of us."

"To carry this war through to a successful issue will require the utilization of every atom of our transportation system at its highest efficiency."

At the Theatres

THE PARAMOUNT.

"THE SILENT PARTNER"—A Lasky-Paramount picture with Blanche Sweet and Thomas Meighan, screen stars, in the leading roles, is today's feature attraction. In her latest success Miss Sweet is soon as the secretary of a busy New York stock broker and the success of the firm depends largely upon her judgment. She has been saving her money to buy a home for herself and mother. The boss, Edward Royle, played by Thomas Meighan, falls prey to a society woman, who marries him for his money, though she loves another man. These two conspire to ruin Royle, so that the former partner, how she aids in dissolving the partnership and how eventually, although discharged, saves her employer's fortune and good name, is presented in a most unusual and startling manner. One of the most unusual characters in this photodrama is the office boy. His reputation as a practical joker having become so well known among business men in Los Angeles that he could not secure a position, he makes his living playing office boy for motion picture companies. It is said he has been discharged more times than any other living office boy. No sooner is he comfortably initiated into a new position than he springs some joke on the head of the firm, and is promptly discharged. His innocent expression won him job after job. Tomorrow, Jessie Barbicane will be seen in "Dawn O' Blue Ridge." Monday, Francon Nelson will be starred in a five act Metro production.

THE ARCADE.

Today at the Arcade theatre the Byrne & Byrne Musical Comedy company will offer D. P. McCarthy's musical comedy, "Miss April Fool," with a plot so well written that it might aptly be called a farce comedy with music. Billie Byrne will play a dual role. Billie Brown and Miss April Fool. All who have seen this intangible impersonator say that he is perfectly cast in each role. Miss King assisted by Walter Marion will repeat her soft shoe dance of yesterday, and Mr. Marion will sing "Beautiful World Roll On." Charlie Byrne and his colleagues will sing "Carry Me Back to Coronado," and Miss King and the Giddy girls will sing an old Southern song in a new way. The War Department film shows the girls' training camp at Washington, many scenes at the new cantonments, and war activities up to the minute. Some people have funny feet, as the one reel comedy, "The Defeat of Father," proved, as only the feet of the actors could be seen, yet it is very funny. Local firemen and mothers will be interested in "How to Fireproof Children" and the scenes showing the New York fire department in action.

Coming next week is a show said to be equally as good as this week's, "Wanda's Honeymooners," a company of 10 people.

SOISSON THEATRE.

"THE PAGE MYSTERY"—Carlyle Blackwell, June Elvidge and Arthur Ashley, a glittering galaxy of film favorites, are seen in the newest World-Picture Brady-Made entitled, "The Page Mystery" which comes to the Soisson tomorrow. There is the most striking kind of a mystery in this feature and the manner in which it is solved is unique and fascinating. See this production and be royally entertained. A big vaudeville opens Monday, July 2. This company is of the highest order and comes highly recommended.

OPERAUM THEATRE.

"THE PRETTY SISTER OF JOSE." Marguerite Clark, the dainty little star, appears today in the five reel drama, "The Pretty Sister of Jose." It is an impressive and sympathetic portrayal of a subject that has furnished the finest prose and verse in every language—love in its tenderest form. Also a good comedy will be shown. Tomorrow Mary Pickford in "A Good Little Devil." It is poetry and fantasy mingled with reality. It is David Belasco's famous modern fairy play with Belasco's original all star cast.

VACATION TIME IS HERE.

Schools have closed for the summer, and now the small boy can pursue, without restraint, his quest for pleasure. But it is not he alone who has been eagerly awaiting the summer season, for we grown-ups are also planning on relaxing from our every day labors.

The summer vacation should also provide a change from the every day scenes, and already thousands of vacationists have wended their way to the Great Lakes and, particularly, to Lake Erie where are to be found the finest and largest steamers plying the inland waters of the world.

The largest and most magnificent of these steamers, the great ship "Seawanderer," is now running daily between Cleveland and Buffalo, and her immense popularity is attested by the large volume of passenger traffic carried.

This trip not only appeals to the vacationist but also to the wears commercial traveler who, by boarding the steamer at Cleveland or Buffalo at 9:00 A. M. may break the monotony of his all rail journey, enjoy a refreshing night's sleep and reach destination at 7:30 the following morning, in plenty of time and with the inclination to start the day's struggles early. —Adv.

ADD TO GREENE COUNTY HOLDINGS.

The Buckley Coal company, a subsidiary of the Youngstown Sheet & Tube company, has added to its Greene county holdings by the purchase of 108 acres in Cumberland township from the Bailey heirs; 115 acres from C. V. Hathaway and 20 small tracts from the Cumberland Coal company.

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Gold Bond Stamps Pay 4 Per Cent On Every \$100 You Spend. Get Them With Every Purchase.

BEGINNING EARLY SATURDAY MORNING AN UNPRECEDENTED COAT EVENT

Choice of Any Coat in Stock at Half Its Regular Price

As an event, this Sale of Coats establishes a new precedent in early-season value-giving. Save 50%—A FULL HALF—on your unrestricted choice of a stock that is not only the largest and most carefully selected stock in this city, but one which is not exceeded anywhere in point of quality and style.

Heavy Coats and light coats, sport coats and coats for general wear. In short, coats for every purpose. Every good style and material. But the colors—that's the chief consideration this season. And we're glad to say your choice is in no way limited, for all are here—black, navy, tan, grey, rose, green, gold, purple, mixtures and fancies. Save half on your preference of the entire stock.

Ladies', Misses' and Children's Coats—All Included.

Ladies' Coats Sizes 16 to 51

Regular \$10.00 Values For \$ 5.00
Regular \$15.00 Values For \$ 7.50
Regular \$19.75 Values For \$ 9.88
Regular \$25.00 Values For \$12.50
Up to \$49.75 Values Up to \$24.88

Children's Coats SIZES 2 TO 14 YEARS

Regular \$ 2.50 Values For \$1.25
Regular \$ 5.00 Values For \$2.50
Regular \$ 7.50 Values For \$3.75
Regular \$10.00 Values For \$5.00
Regular \$15.00 Values For \$7.50

Somewhere in This City —All-Wool Clothing

Some men can guess pretty well where it is to be found, and all men are hereby informed that all-wool clothing was never more to be desired than in these days of cotton cleverness that will almost deceive an expert. Fine light-weight stocks, all spread out for comfortable wear in hot weather.



SUITS AT \$15

Exceptional in Style and Quality

You can still get a good Suit here for \$15, and the man who buys one is saving at least a five dollar bill. Some men are even buying 2 Suits at a time rather than take chances on future selections. The pattern and color selection is at its best right now. The size range complete.

SUITS AT \$17.50 TO \$35

That Establish New Standards of Value

Popular with every good dresser regardless of whether he wears conservative styles or something more extreme. Pinch backs, beltless, double-breasted and more conservative models, including a big showing of handsome BLUE SERGES. All regular and extra sizes. Special showings at \$20 and \$25. You save at least 25% on today's market values.

Men's One-Piece Bathing Suits for Genuine Comfort



No slipping up and down of separate garments, no drawstrings to chafe the waist.

These new Suits are of a pure worsted in a variety of color combinations and heather mixtures.

Plenty of all-wool Suits at \$4 and \$5.

For men who prefer two-piece bathing Suits, we have these also.

Prices are 75c and gradually up to \$5.00.

Boys' Bathing Suits 75c to \$2.

Men's Clothing Section—First Floor Rear.

Union Made Work Clothes

The largest assortment in Connellsburg.

Khaki Trousers, serviceable and full cut, \$1.25 to \$3.50.

Other Trousers, \$1.50 to \$6.00.

Overalls no higher in price—60c, \$1.00, \$1.50 the garment.

Plenty of Good Sweaters

Plenty of Sweaters for cool evenings, motoring and other outdoor sports. All weights and many weaves. A big variety of styles and colors.

Men's and Boys' sizes. Prices \$1.50 up to \$12.

Add to Greene County Holdings. The Buckley Coal company, a subsidiary of the Youngstown Sheet & Tube company, has added to its Greene county holdings by the purchase of 108 acres in Cumberland township from the Bailey heirs; 115 acres from C. V. Hathaway and 20 small tracts from the Cumberland Coal company.



Neckwear Styles Quite Distinctive

New Organdy Collars, the large shoulder collars, hemstitched, embroidered, and trimmed with crochet buttons, \$1.25 and \$1.50.

Organdy Collars, square deep effects, lace trimmed and hemstitched, 50¢ to \$1.00.

Georgette Crepe Collars, hemstitched, picoted and lace trimmed, white and color combinations, \$1.00 to \$2.50.

Georgette Crepe Vestees with large square collars, embroidered and hemstitched, \$1.50 to \$4.00.

Parasols to Charm a Little Girl

All sorts of bright colors, flowers and borders, some of cotton, some of pongee and some all silk. The variety is very large—stripes, dots, Dresden patterns, tucked parasols, ruffled ones and plain ones. Some even have loop handles.

Prices 25¢ to \$2.00 each.

Lustrous Imitation Pearls

Could anything be prettier with fluffy Summer Frocks?

Pearl Beads, long and short strands, graduated or uniform pearls, \$1.50 to \$5.00.

Oriental Beads, many different colors to the strand, \$1.50 to \$5.00.

Some in colors. Some trimmed with flowers. Even some jaunty Sailors with either black or colored bands.

No woman should miss the satisfaction of at least inspecting these for they are truly remarkable values.

White Wool Serge

Makes ideal Skirts or Frocks for women going to mountain or shore for the summer.

This good quality White Serge is 14 inches wide at \$1.25 the yard.

Short Skirts Call For Dainty Stockings

The dainty stockings that the short skirt calls for are here—bright-colored silk stockings that are particularly popular this Summer.

For the fastidious eye of the fashionable woman, this remarkable variety of plain colors and novelty effects will certainly prove fascinating.

Among the attractive and notable items in the collection are the silk stockings with boot and top colors contrasting and with novel striped effects of variously colored grounds. These are \$1.25 a pair.

Full-fashioned white thread Silk Stockings, \$1.15 a pair.

Full-fashioned White Silk Stockings with black clocks, \$2 a pair.

The Kind of Jewelry Liked In Summer

Dorin Cases on chains, gold and silver plated, with enamel tops, 65¢ to \$4.50.

Coin Balls enameled in gold, pink, blue, and silver. Also gold plated. Prices 65¢ each.

Earrings with drops set with pearls, amethysts, and different colored stones, 50¢ to \$2.

Sterling Silver finger Rings with jade settings. Price 75¢ each.

Fine assortments of fancy bar and beauty pins.

Matchless Values in MILLINERY

In This Special Offering of

Regular \$7.50 to \$10 Values.

SPECIAL AT \$5

Sports Hats, Leghorns, White Hems, Black Hats and other choice styles for mid-summer wear.

The fact that these are reduced one-third and even as much as ONE-HALF merely adds to their desirability, for no newer styles are shown.

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